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OUTSTANDING COLLECTIONS TO MAKE NEW DAHLIA FANS

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- 8 standard varieties. We save time by not tagging. Each different. Top quality. Large—A; Small—B.
- 5 different standards. These will be named varieties, unlike in color or type. Large—C; Small—D.



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These single, daisy-like flowers are exceptionally small, ranging from $\frac{3}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ " in diameter. Sturdy stems 6" long or more. Growing from 1 to 2 feet high, these are ideal for borders. They bloom continuously from early summer to frost.

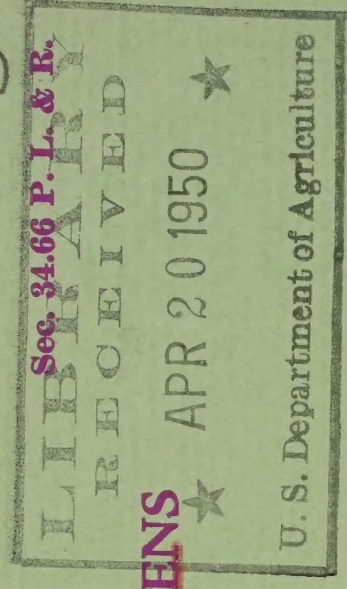
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Self Colors	Two-Toned
IMP—dark red	FIRST CRY—lilac-yellow
MEJICANA NINA—orange	FIRST SMILE—pink-yellow
PEPPER—soft red	PERT—yellow into rose
SAUCY—maize yellow	WINSOME—red into yellow

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DEAR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

Are you wondering what has happened to us? No advertising at all this year! No catalogs!

Briefly, we've had two deaths in our immediate family; one, our brother and business partner. It has meant re-organizing our lives and business and re-locating our gardens nearer our new home.

We decided to hold up on expansion—hence, no advertising; and to spend our energy in taking care of you, the customers we already have. We hoped you'd use your older catalogs. But, so many of you have written us, that, late or not, we are sending this explanation and list. You still have plenty of time in which to plant. You remember, we advise against early planting. We begin ours on May 15th and plant until June 22nd. This gives blooms in cooler days when they're at their best,—when nature intended.

Our roots, despite the unprecedented cold winter, came through wonderfully. We have our usual first class, FLORISTAN GARDENS quality roots for you. We especially recommend these that follow.

Sincerely yours,

Hal Lynn Smith
FLORISTAN GARDENS

DORA LOUES MILLER f. d. Bloom 14" x 8", bush 4'. Soft mellowed shade of old gold and orange.....\$.75

***EDNA ROSAIA** i. d. Bloom 8" x 4", bush 4'. Two tones of luscious cobalt rose with silver reverse.....\$2.50

ELLEN WORTHERN s. c. Bloom 14" x 9", bush 6'. Salmon pink with no variation of color throughout.....\$.50

***FLORISTAN'S EMBLEM** i. d. Bloom 12" x 4", bush 5'. Bright, golden yellow. Narrow petals.....\$3.00

***FLORISTAN'S SNOW BRIDE** f. d. Bloom 10" x 5", bush 5'. Absolutely pure, clear, sparkling white with silver sheen. Fragile looking but tough as a bull pup.....\$3.00

***GEORGE ROSAIA** f. d. Bloom 6" x 4", bush 4½'. Dark, rich, glowing red. Good cut flower. Chosen by late dean of Seattle florists for whom it was named.....\$5.00

†**HAILE SELASSE** c. Bloom 9" x 5", bush 5'. Maroon when first out, soft Indian red when mature. Incurved narrow florets revolute their full length. Graceful and sturdy.....\$5.00

***IRENE ELSNER** f. d. Bloom 5" x 4½", bush 8'. Shimmering white base, tipped and suffused rich pink.....\$3.00

†**LANCELOT**, ball. Bloom 4" x 3", bush 6'. Tawny autumn shades on face; petal reverse, pink. Narrow florets wave as they reach stem. Takes bad weather in stride.....\$2.00

LILLIAN NOSER f. d. Bloom 14" x 8", bush 4'. A soft, lavender pink with silver sheen and veinings.....\$1.00

LARGE FLOWER VARIETIES

ALL have FLORISTAN GARDEN'S strong, straight stems, and robust, good growing and flowering habits.

Brand new † Recent *

BETTY ANN s. c. Bloom 12" x 5", bush 4'. Rich fuchsia center, outer petals, lighter blend.....\$2.00

BRIDESMAID f. d. Bloom 8" x 7", bush 6'. Silvery pink; silver sheen on broad, twisting petals.....\$1.00

CAVALCADE f. d. Bloom 8" x 5", bush 5½'. Exquisite rosy mulberry with golden sheen on narrow petals.....\$.50

***CHARLOTTE HOWITT** f. d. Bloom 6" x 4", bush 5'. Deeper than La France pink in petal reverse; a pinky tan and soft yellow blend on petal face. Beautiful.....\$5.00

CITY LIGHT c. Bloom 5" x 4", bush 6'. Rose pink. Petals revolute tightly. Blooms constantly.....\$2.00

†**CLAUDIUS** f. d. Bloom 8" x 4", bush 4'. There is a suggestion of orchid in the pink of this newest of FLORISTAN GARDENS creations. One of our best. Flower opens from bud after cutting. Exceptional stems.....\$10.00

CLASSMAN i. d. Bloom 10" x 7", bush 6'. Striking combination of gold with rosy purple. Shaggy bloom.....\$.50

DAD SMITH f. d. Bloom 7" x 5", bush 5'. Flaming imperial yellow and scarlet. An outstanding dahlia. Can take abuse before and after picking and remain fresh.....\$1.00

MAY WARNER f. d. Bloom 6" x 4", bush 4'. Silvery delicate pink that looks fresh even when bloom is old.....\$.50

MISS BOEING f. d. Bloom 7" x 5", bush 6'. Buff with delicate pink flush. Good for massing and borders.....\$3.00

MRS. HAL L. SMITH i. d. Bloom 10" x 6", bush 6'. Irridescent, elusive mother-of-pearl blending.....\$2.50

NEVA AIREY HARRIS f. d. Bloom 10" x 4", bush 5'. Magnificent dahlia in several toned yellows.....\$3.00

PANTATA f. d. Bloom 12" x 6", bush 4'. A brilliant molten copper tone with tango in twisty petal reverse.....\$.50

***PEGGY CHILDS** f. d. Bloom 10" x 4", bush 6'. Deep, sea-lavender violet with no suggestion of pink.....\$3.00

***PINWHEEL** c. Bloom 8" x 5", bush 4½'. There is a feeling of swirling action in this flame-like orange.....\$1.00

***RED KNIGHT** i. d. Bloom 12" x 10", bush 5'. Huge, currant red. Sturdy, magnificent, a heavy producer. Striking in garden or as gorgeously proportioned cut flower.....\$3.00

ROYAL PENNANT i. d. Bloom 10" x 6", bush 5'. Lush, royal purple which does not sunfade. Constant color.....\$.75

†**SONJA HEINE** ball. Bloom 4" x 4", bush 5'. An informal ball with curling, tawny petals: Takes weather.....\$2.00

SUZANNE DIMM f. d. Bloom 9" x 5", bush 6'. Warm buff with an orange tone. Bloom lasts for days on bush.....\$.75

TOWN TOPIC f. d. Bloom 10" x 4", bush 7'. Deep, rich purple tipped white. Everyone admires in garden.....\$.75

MINIATURES

BABY GRAND c., White. Tipped, suffused rose pink.....	\$.75
BLACK DAVE semi-d. Deep garnet; black foliage.....	1.00
BOB HARRIS ch. Bright claret, striped white.....	.75
BO-PEEP 2" ball. A royal violet purple.....	.50
DORREEN CRANE c. Orange buff, gold sheen. Tiny.....	.75
DOT o. Silvery white with rose fuchsia suffusion.....	.75
DREANA DARLENE o. Old gold, tomato red reverse.....	.75
FAIRY f. d. Brilliant pink with honey toned base.....	.50
FRANCES NORQUIST f. d. Deep, rich pink. Very early....	1.50
*JEANNE'S BABY dup. FRAGRANT. The bloom resembles a delicate pastel water lily. Partially folds at night	2.50
JUNE ST. CLAIR f. d. An unusual coral buff shade.....	.75
LEANN H. f. d. Tiny. Light pink. Very good cutting.....	1.00
MRS. FIRST JOHNSON f. d. Dark Spanish scarlet.....	.75
MRS. FRANK JAMES f. d. True pink. Cut buds open.....	1.50
MY DELIGHT f. d. Rich scarlet. Blooms heavily.....	.50
PATRICIA MALONEY f. d. Tiny apricot-buff blooms.....	.75
PEARL R. o. Pure white, like small white stars.....	.75
PERSIMMON f. d. As eye-appealing as the fruit.....	.75
RENEE' s. c. Straw yellow into pinkish buff.....	.50
SKIPPER col. Silvery white splashed rosy lavender.....	.75
*STARLET JR. s. c. Light yellow, 2" shaggy blooms.....	.75
*TERRY J. f. d. Coral with citron undertone at base.....	1.00
WINE DROP f. d. 2" Wine red blooms with purple cast....	.50

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POMPONS each 50c

ATOM, orange red	LITTLE DAVID, light orange
BABY BETH, pure white	LITTLE JENNIE, light yellow
CHICKIE, rosy wine	MARY MUNNS, fuchsia
DORIA, purple maroon	PATRICIA K., white-pink
HELEN ANITA, lavender, white eye	TAKA'S YELLOW, bright yellow

MRS. J. J. TELFER, pure white. Very small—1 inch.....\$1.00

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